

In re Application of: Hegemann et al.

Application No. 10/510,628

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For: Use of Biological Photoreceptors as Directly Light-Controlled Ion Channels

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to office action in the subject application.

☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.☒ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.☒ Other: Notice of Appeal  
English Translation of priority application no. DE 102 16 005.8 and Translation Certification thereof  
Replacement Sequence Listing and Statement regarding Sequence Listing Submission☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below.

|   |                                      |                                  |             |                                    | SMALL ENTITY         |         | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY |         |                 |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------|---------------------------|---------|-----------------|
| TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE                   |                                      |                                  | three-month |                                    | \$ 0.00              |         | \$1,110.00                |         |                 |
| subtract time extension fee previously paid   |                                      |                                  | none        |                                    | (\$ 0.00)            |         | (\$ 0.00)                 |         |                 |
|   |                                      |                                  |             |                                    |                      |         |                           |         |                 |
| CLAIM FEE                                     |                                      | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT |             | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE    | ADD'L CLAIM FEE           | RATE    | ADD'L CLAIM FEE |
| TOTAL   |                                      | 28                               | MINUS       | 31                                 | = 0                  | x 26 =  | \$                        | x 52 =  | \$0.00          |
| INDEPENDENT                                   |                                      | 1                                | MINUS       | 3                                  | = 0                  | x 110 = | \$                        | x 220 = | \$0.00          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                      | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM |                                  |             |                                    |                      | + 195 = | \$                        | + 390 = | \$0.00          |
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| TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT |                                      |                                  |             |                                    | TOTAL                | \$      | TOTAL                     | \$1,110 |                 |

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Respectfully submitted,

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